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COTTON MARKET.

Cotton is bringing to-day on the Batesburg Market 12-14 as reported by L. D. Cullum.

C. W. STEWART ENROUTE TO BRATTLEBORO, VT.

Mr. C. W. Stewart from Brattleboro, Vermont, who has been living in Batesburg so long that we claim him as one of our good citizens left for his home this evening. Mr. Stewart has made many good and loyal friends during his sojourn here and we look forward to his return in the early fall. For months past he has been selling pianos and has given entire satisfaction where ever he has placed them.

MRS. BESSIE CORLEY BURNED TO DEATH.

On yesterday afternoon about six o'clock while using kerosene oil to start the fire in her stove, Mrs. Bessie Corley, aged 18 years, wife of Mr. Simon Corley, was burned so badly that she died at 1 o'clock this morning. The house, which belonged to the Middleburg mill, and all its contents including about \$100 in money were totally destroyed. The remains were taken to Columbia, her old home this morning for burial.

PERSONALS.

The wind bloweth, the water floweth
The farmer soweth and the subscriber oweth
The good Lord knoweth that we are in need of dues
So come a running, ere we go a gunning:
This thing of dunning gives us the blues.

Miss Nannie Gunter left Monday for Atlanta to visit her brothers.

Miss Vixie Rudd has gone to Rock Hill to spend several days.

Mr. U. C. Etheredge, of Columbia, spent Saturday and Sunday with the home folks.

Mr. John Crouch is home from Columbia.

Mr. J. S. B. Taylor, of Chester, spent Saturday and Sunday in town.

Mr. Roper Shealy spent Saturday and Sunday in Columbia.

Mr. E. B. Friday, of Columbia, spent several days in town last week.

Mr. Ernest Livingston visited his parents near Lexington Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Timmerman spent Tuesday in Ridge Spring.

Miss Julia Wessel left Wednesday for her home in Lumberton, N. C.

Misses Cleo Ramsey and Beatrice Hostein, of Monetta, were in town Tuesday.

Mr. Kinny Hartley spent Tuesday in Augusta.

Miss Mildred Glover is visiting relatives at Graniteville.

Messrs. C. L. Jones and E. B. Crouch spent Sunday in Emory.

Miss Jane Crouch has returned from a visit to relatives at Newberry and Higgins Ferry.

Mrs. Robert Able and Mrs. William Oxner, of Leesville, were in town Monday.

Misses Annie and Lizzie Hollingsworth, of Edgeland, are visiting Mrs. A. C. Mitchell.

Miss Rosa Lou La Grone returned to her home at Johnston Thursday, after a week's visit to relatives here.

Miss Ethel Watson, of Wagener, is spending the week with Mrs. J. Frank Kneece.

Mrs. J. O. LaGrone and Miss Hasie Pou were here shopping Tuesday.

Mrs. Homer Thirskill, of Ridge Spring visited relatives here Tuesday.

Miss Mary Boatwright left today for a two weeks vacation.

Miss Rachel, of Columbia, is the guest of Miss Maud Hodges.

Miss Viola Bodie returned Wednesday from a visit to Columbia and Charleston.

Mr. J. B. Whittle, the photographer, is away this week and next attending the Southern Photographers Convention and summer school, at Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. Walter Cartledge is rapidly recovering from the operation for appendicitis.

Mr. McFall Ridgell has returned from Atlanta and is improving greatly. We hope to soon see him packing peaches.

Mr. Ed Ridgell is home for a few days on account of sickness.

COURT IN AIKEN.

JUDGE ERNEST GARY IS PRESIDING OVER SUMMER SESSION.

Special to The State.

Aiken, June 25--The regular summer sessions of court opened here today with Judge Ernest Gary as presiding judge. As far as is known only a week will be devoted to this session of court. There are several important murder cases. There will be no civil cases tried at this session of court.

The first case called was that of Ben Harper, colored, charged with murder. The defendant pleaded guilty of manslaughter. He has not yet been sentenced.

The next case was that of Tason Spires, white, and his son, William, charged with assault and battery with intent to kill against W. P. Powell, also white. This case brought up the question of the right of neighbors to settle disputes by means of the law and the knife. Powell accused Spires of cursing him and of advancing upon him with a hoe, when he drew a knife in self defense, while Spires accused Powell of cursing him first and of advancing upon him with a knife. The son entered the game with a hoe to defend his father. Powell left the fight with a number of cuts and bruises on his arms and head. Powell, it is said, intruded upon Spires' land which caused the dispute and resultant fight. No verdict has yet been reached.

RUTLANDS TOURIST HOTEL.

A CERTAINTY BEYOND
PREADVENTURE.

PLANS NOW BEING SUBMITTED--
BUILDING TO COMMENCE
ABOUT AUGUST FIRST.
WHAT BATESBURG HAS
LONG FELT THE NEED
THREE STORIES HIGH
A CRUDE SKETCH.

It is no longer guess work, Batesburg is to have a three story Tourist-Commercial hotel.

Mr. M. E. Rutland has determined to erect at once a hotel second to none in the State for its size and conveniences. Within the next sixty days the sight where his stables now stand on Railroad Avenue will be transformed into a modern up to date hotel with every convenience possible for the tourist and the traveling public. The building will have from forty to fifty rooms. Architects have already submitted various plans, but up to this writing none have yet quite come up to what Mr. Rutland desires that his hotel should be so we can merely outline the inside arrangements. There will be a large lobby directly opposite the entrance with the office in the rear. To the right of the lobby the first floor will be a large drug store opening into the hotel and partitioned off by plate glass, back of this store will be the billiard rooms and on the left will be first a gentlemen's writing room, a spacious barber shop, and several sample rooms for the accommodation of traveling men.

The second floor will have the ladies parlor and a large dining room sufficient for the holding of banquets and other assemblies of like nature. At least one half of the chambers will have private bath rooms and all the modern conveniences to be found in a hotel of the present day in large cities.

The third story will have bed rooms only. On the next corner to hotel the Post Office is to be located making it all the more convenient for guests of the hotel.

The Southern railroad has given every assurance that they will make a park directly in front of this building on its property thereby making it all the more inviting.

Mr. Rutland has had many overtures from would be managers or lessees for the property at a handsome rental. Batesburg has long needed just such a place as this new hotel promises to be and Mr. Rutland deserves great credit for this venture as it will take a large outlay of money and labor to perfect his plans.

POLITICS IN SALUDA.

SCHEDULE OF COUNTY CAMPAIGN
FIXED BY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Saluda, June 24--The county Democratic executive committee held a meeting here yesterday and while it was a prolonged session little was done after all.

A motion to pay the managers and clerks in the primaries was voted down. The committee appointed to arrange a schedule of meetings for the county campaign fixed the date of opening for July 31. Nine meetings will be held as follows: Cotneys, July 31; Mt. Willing, August 2; Watsons store, August 4; Fruit Hill, August 14; Frees, August 16; Samples, August 18; D. C. Smith, August 21; Denny X Roads, August 23, and Saluda, August 25.

The matter of assessment of candidates was left to a committee consisting of P. L. Watson, W. W. Padgett and J. B. Davis. They are to report prior to the opening meeting of the campaign.

It was voted almost unanimously that supervisor of registration, the two county commissioners and all magistrates be required to enter the primary.

Mr. C. J. Ramap, the chairman, stated that all arrangements had been made for the State campaign meeting to be held here on the 29th.

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NOTICE.

The lots of The Concrete Stone Contracting Co., of Batesburg, will be advertised in a later issue of this paper.

J. Walter McCartha,
Manager.

LEXINGTON

Miss May Booser is visiting friends in Prosperity.

Messrs. J. V. and J. E. Foss, of Blythe, Ga., spent several days with their sister, Mrs. F. W. Rauch, last week.

Josh Gunter, an old confederate veteran, died at the poor house Tuesday. The remains were sent to Leesville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Roof have returned from their northern trip.

Mrs. Job Wessinger, and little daughter, have returned to their home in Chapin, after a pleasant visit to friends and relatives here.

Dr. P. H. Shealy spent Sunday in Leesville.

Miss Mary Wingard returned Tuesday from a visit to Miss Clara Sawyer at Johnston.

Mr. Cyrus Shealy is here helping Treasurer Shealy with his annual settlement.

Mrs. Mollie Smoak and Bobbo, have returned to Smoak's. Mrs. Smoak and her parrot made many friends in Lexington.

Mr. Alfred Fox was in Chattanooga last week.

Master Kenneth, the handsome little son of Railroad Commissioner Caughman, has returned to Columbia, after spending several days with his uncle, Mr. W. W. Barr.

Saturday is campaign day and a large crowd is expected.

Misses Pearl and Ruth Oswald are spending several days with their uncle, Mr. John Griffith, at Edmund.

Mr. Will Smoak, of the civil service, is home for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Seay are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wingard.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam B. George and children, took a pleasure trip to Aiken and Augusta last week.

Mr. J. E. Carr was in Sevier several days last week.

Misses Carro and Ruth Edred have returned from a delightful visit to Batesburg.

Mrs. Lena Hubbard and Miss Mamie Hubbard were at Mr. M. D. Harman's last week.

Messrs. S. B. George and B. H. Barr were in Columbia Wednesday.

Rev. T. T. Graham, of Columbia, spent Sunday with his parents, Col. and Mrs. G. T. Graham.

Dr. Rice B. Harman is in Springfield on business.

Mrs. J. N. Rawlinson and children, of Columbia, are visiting the family of Rev. W. D. Quick.

Messrs. Andrew Crawford and J. S. Muller, of the Columbia bar, were in town Tuesday on legal business.

Mr. R. W. Shand, a noted lawyer of Columbia, was also in town Tuesday.

T. C. Sturkie went to Swansea on Tuesday.

The case of Fulmer and others against Fulmer and others, was heard before Clerk George Tuesday. Col. G. T. Graham represented the plaintiffs and certain defendants, and Crawford and Muller the defendant, Lemuel Fulmer.

RIDGE SPRING.
BARN AND STABLES STRUCK BY LIGHTNING--VALUABLE STOCK PERISH IN THE FLAMES.

On Sunday night at 2 o'clock Mr. Charlie Quattlebaum's barn was destroyed by fire, with a large amount of oats and other grain. Three fine mules and a cow perished in the flames; one horse, one mule and a cow were rescued, though somewhat burned. It is supposed that the barn was struck by lightning. The sympathy of the community is shown Mr. Quattlebaum in a practical manner.

Dr. Ransom Timmerman and his accomplished wife dined on Tuesday with Mrs. Ida Boatwright.

Miss Sarah Stevens, of Johnston, is visiting Miss Beulah Watson.

Work is progressing rapidly on a block of three brick stores and the cotton warehouse. Mr. John Powell has the contracts.

Mr. Cal. Watson is home from Wofford college.

Mrs. J. H. Edwars, of Augusta, is here on an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Strother went to Wadala last week to attend the marriage of their sister, Miss Sam Strother.

Miss South has returned to Greenwood, after a week's visit at the home of Rev. J. H. Edwars.

Miss King, who has been visiting Mrs. Jos. Jones, has returned to her home in Aiken.

Miss Alice Jones has gone to the summer school at Rock Hill.

LEESVILLE.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT
TO MRS. MARY
SHEALY.

Whereas God in His infinite wisdom has seen fit to remove from our Missionary Society of Leesville congregation Mrs. Mary Shealy, Therefore be it resolved

1st. That we bow in humble submission to his divine will.

2nd. That in her death we realize our Society has lost a devoted member who was ready to help in every way for the upbuilding of Christ's kingdom.

3rd. That we extend to the bereaved family our deepest sympathy, knowing that their loss is her eternal gain.

Mrs. D. B. Groseclose, Mrs. Jessie Hendrix, Mrs. Lizzie Derrick,

Mr. Elbert Riser, of Dupont, was in town shopping Monday.

Mr. Allen Caughman, of Newberry, was in town last Saturday.

Mrs. Lizzie Derrick spent Monday in the country with her son Mr. Pickens Derrick.

Dr. H. P. Shealy, of Lexington, was in town Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Shealy spent Sunday at Mr. J. R. Bouknight's.

Mrs. A. C. Bouknight who has been away for some time visiting relatives returned Monday.

Mr. John Fulmer was in town Tuesday.

Capt. A. P. Bouknight came down to Leesville Tuesday on business.

Mrs. J. P. Bodie who has been visiting her brother near Columbia for several days, returned Monday evening accompanied by her sister Mrs. Hook.

Mr. H. L. Wheeler was in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Black, of R. F. D. No. 3 were in town Tuesday shopping.

Mrs. M. A. Holly and Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Derrick, of Dupler, were in town Tuesday.

Dr. E. J. Etheredge left Tuesday for Charleston to attend the Dental Association.

Miss Mattie Groseclose is spending the week with friends at Ridge Spring.

Mr. U. P. Etheredge who has been at home sick for a week is back at work with Matthews and Bouknight this week.

Mr. John Caughman was in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Linmore Oxner spent Sunday in the country.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gunter, of Stead man were in town shopping Wednesday.

Mrs. Chas. Livingston and Miss Gussie Barr were in town shopping Wednesday.

Rev. P. D. Risinger, of Johnston, was in town Wednesday on business.

ONE YEAR'S CROP PRODUCES NEARLY \$100 PER ACRE.

Mr. M. E. Rutland received this morning a check for thirteen bales of cotton amounting to nine hundred and ninety six dollars and seventy eight cents. This cotton was raised on eleven acres of land or a part of a tract that Mr. Rutland was offered one hundred dollars per acre last year. Our readers will note that one year's work paid the total price offered for the land.

DEATH OF MRS. U S BIRD

Mrs. V. S. Bird died at the home of Mrs. James Boatwright at half past seven o'clock Monday in the seventy third year of her age from heart trouble. Mrs. Bird was a sister of Mrs. Boatwright and has made her home there for the past ten or twelve years.

She leaves to mourn her loss one son, Mr. W. S. Bird, of Norfolk Va., and a grand daughter, Miss Emily M. Bird, of Charleston, S. C.

Her remains were taken to Savannah for burial.

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NUMBER 5595
Report of the Condition of
The First National
Bank of
Batesburg,
at Batesburg, in the State
of South Carolina, at
the close of business, June 18,
1906.

RESOURCES.	DOLLARS.
Loans and Discounts	\$138,298.90
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	208.25
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	25,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	875.00
Bonds, securities, etc	665.21
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures	9,480.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	11,048.52
Due from approved reserve agents	5,524.71
Checks and other cash items	664.47
Notes of other National Banks	450.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	220.27
Specie	6,405
Legal-tender notes	620
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation)	3,550.00
TOTAL	203,010.63
LIABILITIES.	DOLLARS.
Capital stock paid in	25,000.00
Surplus fund	6,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	8,595.16
National Bank notes outstanding	25,000.00
Due to State Banks and Bankers	995.31
Individual deposits subject to check	116,818.50
Cashier's checks outstanding	606.86
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed	20,000.00
TOTAL	203,010.63

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Lexington, ss: I, Wm. M. Carter, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Wm. M. CARTER, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of June, 1906.
JNO. C. GLOVER, Notary Public.
CORRECT--Attest:
T. B. KERNAGHAN,
W. L. RAWL,
M. E. RUTLAND, Directors.

FIRST IMMIGRANTS TO BATESBURG.

THEY COME IN ANSWER TO AN ADVERTISEMENT IN THE ADVOCATE.

On Wednesday last the first immigrants which have reached Batesburg through the Department of Immigration arrived and were at once located. This was a family of Scotch people. The husband came to accept a place with Mr. M. S. Gunter who has recently been advertising in the Advocate for a man to help him in his shop. The family is composed of Mr. John McDonald, Mrs. McDonald and one child. Mr. McDonald will now on be employed by Mr. Gunter in the capacity of blacksmith. Mr. Herbert, the clerk of the Department of Immigration came down to see that these people were properly located. He said to a reporter of the Advocate that Commissioner Watson was glad of the opportunity to place this family in Batesburg, as he believed it would do well in this thriving community, and therefore he at once took advantage of the advertisement inserted in the Advocate by Mr. Gunter. Mr. Herbert said that the people of Batesburg seemed most kindly disposed towards these immigrants and asks that they receive every encouragement from their neighbors. Mr. McDonald is an expert horseshoer and is a good smith. He comes from a good section in Scotland and if he is pleased other good people will follow his example and come to South Carolina and to Batesburg.